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Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM HOSTING OF MULTIPLE BILLERS IN
AN INTERNET BILL PRESENTMENT AND PAYMENT
ENVIRONMENT

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 24 pages, including 7 independent claims and 20 claims total.
2. Drawings- 3 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-3).
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